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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

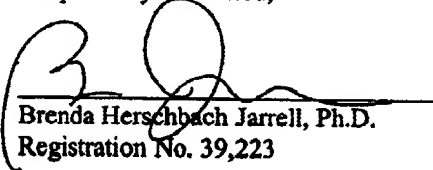
Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 6, 2003 (Paper Number 11) in the above-referenced case, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-67.

Responsive to the Election Requirement included in the same document, Applicant hereby elects SEQ ID NO:3.

It is Applicant's understanding that there are no fees associated with this matter. Should this understanding be in error, please charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayments, to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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